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Sofia Bernsand Company Secretarial Assistant

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The Registrar of Companies Companies House Crown Way Maindy Cardiff CF4 3UZ

5 August 2003

Registered No.

SIPPL

-4668

Dear Sir/Madam

Company Name

TNS Overseas Holdings (Alpha) Limited	3965470
TNS Overseas Holdings (Beta) Limited	3965472
TNS Overseas Holdings (Delta) Limited	3968944
TNS Overseas Holdings (Gamma) Limited	3965469
TNS Overseas Holdings (Epsilon) Limited	3986121

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I enclose one copy annual report for the year ended 31 December 2002, in connection with the above-named companies in loose-leaf format.

Please acknowledge safe receipt by date stamping and returning the enclosed duplicate of this letter in enclosed stamped addressed envelope.

Yours faithfully

Sofia Bernsand

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cc. Securities and Exchange Commission, Filing Desk, Division of Corporation Finance, Office of International Corporate Finance, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20549, United States BY DHL

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VIA SWIFLY

15 August 2003

Dear Sir/Madam

Taylor Nelson AGB Television Limited registered no. 3229747 Annual return for the period ended 26 July 2003

The Customer Equity Company Limited registered no. 4049251 Annual return for the period ended 8 August 2003

I enclose duly completed and signed forms 363s annual return for the above-named companies together with a cheques for £30.00 being the filing fees due.

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Please acknowledge safe receipt by date stamping and returning the enclosed duplicate of this letter in enclosed stamped addressed envelope.

Yours faithfully

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Taylor Nelson Sofres plc

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TAYLOR NELSON AGE TELEVISION LIMITED

Company Type
Private Company Limited By
Shares
Company Number
3229747
Information extracted from
Companies House records on

4th July 2003

363s Annual Return

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Section 1: Company details

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Registered Office Address If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	C/O Taylor Nelson Sofres Pic Westgate London W5 1UA	Address UK Postcode
Register of Members If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Address where the Register is held At Registered Office	Address UK Postcode
Register of Debenture Holders If any-of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Not Applicable	Address UK Postcode
Principal Business Activities If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	SIC Code Description 7413 Market research, opinion polling	SIC CODE Description
Please enter additional principal activity code(s) in "Amended details" column. See notes for guidance for list of activity codes.		

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Section 2: Details of Officers of the Company

	Current details	Amended details
> Company Secretary If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Name Ian John PORTAL Address 8 Shakespeare Road Harpenden Hertfordshire AL5 5ND	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723l of the Companies Act 1985. Address
Particulars of a new Company Secretary must be notified on form 288.		UK Postcode
		Date of change / / Date Ian John PORTAL ceased to be secretary (if applicable)
If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column. Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Name Antony Brian COWLING Address 4 Links Road Epsom Surrey KT17 3PS Date of birth 02/01/1936 Nationality British Occupation Director	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723B of the Companies Act 1985. Address UK Postcode Date of birth Nationality Occupation Date of change Date Antony Brian COWLING ceased to be director (if applicable)

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Director If any of the details for this	Name Michael Anthony KIRKHAM	Name
person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Address 37 St James Avenue Hampton Hill Middlesex TW12 1HH	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723E of the Companies Act 1985. Address
	Date of birth 19/06/1946	<u></u>
	Nationality British	UK Postcode
Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form	Occupation Market Research	Date of birth / / Nationality
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> At the date of this Annual Return, if the company has altered or changed its share capital in any way or allotted new shares, please refer to the guidance notes for details of the appropriate form that should be sent with this Annual Return. Annual return guidance notes are available on the Companies House web site at www.companieshouse.gov.uk or by ringing 0870 3333636.

Company, Number - 3229747

Section 4: Details of Shareholders

- > The details we hold on your company's shareholders and their shareholdings are printed below. These are based on your last Annual Return.
- > If any details have changed, or if any shares have been transferred, please fill in the details in the "Amended details" or "Shares transferred" column.
- > Please give details of any other shareholders in Section 5.

Amended details	Shares transferred
Name	
Address	
UK Postcode	Shares transferred by TAYLOR NELSON SOFRES PLC
Shares held Class Number	Class Number Date of transfer
	Address UK Postcode Shares held

Compan	y Number -	3229747
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Section 5: Details of Other Shareholders

- > Please fill in details of any persons or corporate bodies who are shareholders the company at the date of this return, but whose details are not printed in Section 4.
- > Also, provide the details of any persons who became but have ceased to be shareholders of the company since the date of the last annual return.
- > For jointly held shares please list those joint shareholders consecutively on the form. If a joint shareholder also holds shares in their own right, list that holding separately.
- > Please copy this page if there is not enough space to enter all the company's other shareholders.

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363s Annual Return Declaration

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- for the record ----Company Name THE CUSTOMER EQUITY COMPANY LIMITED

Company Type Private Company Limited By Shares Company Number 4049251

Information extracted from

12th July 2003

Ref: 4049251/09/28

Companies House records on

363s Annual Return

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Section 1: Company details

Ref: 4049251/09/28	Current details	Amended details
Registered Office Address If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	C/O Taylor Nelson Sofres Pic Westgate London W5 1UA	Address UK Postcode
> Register of Members If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Address where the Register is held At Registered Office	Address UK Postcode
Register of Debenture Holders If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Not Applicable	UK Postcode
Principal Business Activities If any of the details are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	SIC Code Description 7415 Holding companies incl head offices	SIC CODE Description
Please enter additional principal activity code(s) in "Amended details" column. See notes for guidance for list of activity codes.		

Section 2: Details of Officers of the Company

	Current details	Amended details
> Company Secretary If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Name Ian John PORTAL Address 8 Shakespeare Road Harpenden Hertfordshire AL5 5ND	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723B of the Companies Act 1985. Address
Particulars of a new Company Secretary must be notified on form 288.		UK Postcode / / Date of change / / Date lan John PORTAL ceased to be secretary (if applicable)
> Director If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Name Henry Wilfred BARENBLATT Address 89 Kloof Road Bantry Bay Cape Town 8000 South Africa	Name Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723B of the Companies Act 1985. Address
Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Date of birth 14/02/1949 Nationality South African Occupation Businessman	UK Postcode Date of birth / / Nationality Occupation Date of change / / Date Henry Wilfred BARENBLATT ceased to be director (if applicable) / /

Company Number - 4049251	Section 2: Details of Officers of the Con Current details	Amended details
> Director If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Name Amaury Jean-Claude Yves Marie DE CONDE Address 15 Avenue De Circourt La Celle St Cloud 78170 France	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 7238 of the Companies Act 1985. Address
•	Date of birth 05/01/1961	
Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Nationality French Occupation Market Research	UK Postcode Date of birth Nationality Occupation Date of change / /
		Date Amaury Jean-Claude Yves Marie DE CONDE ceased to be director (if applicable)
If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column. Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Name Edward Frederick HOEFLING Address 27 Newlyn Close Bricket Wood St. Albans Hertfordshire AL2 3UP Date of birth 17/07/1952 Nationality British Occupation Accountant	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723E of the Companies Act 1985. Address UK Postcode / /

Company Number - 4049251	Section 2: Details of Officers of the	
> Director If any of the details for this person are wrong, strike	Name David Soutar LOWDEN	Amended details Name
them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Address The Squirrels Riversdale Bourne End Buckinghamshire SL8 5EB	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723B of the Companies Act 1985. Address
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	Date of birth 16/08/1957	·
Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Nationality British Occupation Accountant	UK Postcode Date of birth Nationality Occupation Date of change
		Date David Soutar LOWDEN ceased to be director (if applicable)
> Director If any of the details for this	Name Barry Lee MERRET	Name
person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Address Flat 1 22 Billyard Avenue Sydney	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723B of the Companies Act 1985.
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	Date of birth 17/04/1945	
	Nationality Australian	Date of birth
Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Occupation Director	Nationality
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		Date Barry Lee MERRET ceased to be director (if applicable)
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Company Number - 4049251	Section 2: Details of Officers of the Current details	Company (continued) Amended details
> Director If any of the details for this	Name Paul Simon Kent WRIGHT	Name
person are wrong, strike them through and fill in the correct details in the "Amended details" column.	Address 29 Turney Road Dulwich London SE21 7JA	Tick this box if this address is a service address for the beneficiary of a Confidentiality Order granted under section 723B of the Companies Act 1985. Address
	Date of birth 02/12/1957	· ·
Particulars of a new Director must be notified on form 288.	Nationality British Occupation Solicitor	UK Postcode Date of birth Nationality Occupation Date of change / /
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Section 3: Share Capital

Issued share capital details

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REMEMBER:

Changes to shareholder particulars or details of shares transferred to be completed each year A full list of shareholders is required with the first and every third Annual Return thereafter List shareholders in alphabetical order or provide an index List joint shareholders consecutively

Company	Number -	4049251
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Section 4: Details of New Shareholders and Transfers (A) (ii)

- > Please fill in details of any persons or corporate bodies who have become shareholders since the last annual return.
- > Please fill in details of any persons or corporate bodies that have transferred shares since the last annual return.
- > Please use Section 4B to give details of any persons or corporate bodies who have ceased to be shareholders since the last annual return or, in the case of a first return, since the incorporation of the company.
- > Please copy this page if there is not enough space to enter all the company's current shareholders.

Shareholders details	Class and number of shares or amount of stock held	Class and number of shares or amount of stock transferred (If appropriate)	
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Section 4B: Details of Former Shareholders

- > Please fill in details of any persons or corporate bodies who have ceased to be shareholders at the date of this return. Also, please give the dates that their shares were transferred.
- > Please copy this page if there is not enough space to enter all the company's former shareholders.

	Former shareholders details	Class and number of shares or amount of stock transferred	Date of registration of transfer
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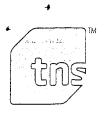


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Sofia Bernsand Company Secretarial Assistant

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14 August 2003

Dear Sir/Madam

Company Name Media Vision Research Limited Registered No. 2711063

I enclose one copy annual report for Media Vision Research Limited for the year ended 31 December 2002.

Please acknowledge safe receipt by date stamping and returning the enclosed duplicate of this letter in enclosed stamped addressed envelope.

Yours faithfully

Sofia Bernsand

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cc. Securities and Exchange Commission, Filing Desk, Division of Corporation Finance, Office of International Corporate Finance, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20549, United States BY DHL

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Report and accounts

for the year ended

31 December 2002

Reg No 2711063

Report and accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2002

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Director's report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002.

1 Principal activities, business review and future developments

The company was dormant throughout the year.

2 Results and dividends

The company did not trade during the year ended 31 December 2002 and the preceding period; accordingly no profit and loss account is presented with these financial statements.

3 Directors

The directors of the company during the year were as follows:

A B Cowling P S K Wright

4 Directors' interests in shares of the company

No directors had any interests in shares of the company at any time during the year.

Mr Cowling is a director of the ultimate parent undertaking, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and his interest in shares of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc are disclosed in the directors' report of that company.

Mr Wright holds interests in the ultimate parent company, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, as follows:-

	At 1 Jan 2002	Granted	Sold/ Exercised	At 31 Dec 2002
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Ordinary shares	5,206	-	-	5,206
Executive share plan	option 75,000	-	•	75,000

Director's report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

5 Auditors

In accordance with Section 250 of the Companies Act 1985, a special resolution resolving that an auditor should not be reappointed will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

By order of the board

I J Portal

Company Secretary

15th July 2003

Balance sheet

As at 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002 £000	2001 £000
Current assets			
Debtors	4	22	22
		22	22
Net assets	_	22	22
Capital and reserves		•	
Called up share capital	5	1	1
Share premium account	6	. 45	45
Profit and loss account	6	(24)	(24)
Shareholders' funds	7 =	22	22

For the year ended 31 December 2002 the company was entitled to exemption under section 249AA (1) of the Companies Act 1985.

No members have required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 249B(2).

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for:

- a) Ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221;
- b) Preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its financial year and of its profit and loss for the financial year in accordance with section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements on pages 4 to 7 were approved by the board of directors on 15th July 2003 and were signed on its behalf by:

A B Cowling

Chairman 👡

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

1 Principal accounting policies

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

3 Employee information

There were no employees of the company, apart from the directors, who received no remuneration for their services (2001; £nil)

4 Debtors

	2002	2001
	£000	£000
Amounts due from group undertakings	22	22
	22	22

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

5 Called up share capital

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	2002	2001
	£	£
Authorised	:	
24,500 Ordinary shares of 10p each	2,450	2,450
5,000 Deferred shares of 10p each	500	500
5,500 Preference shares of 10p each	550	550
	3,500	3,500
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
11,515 Ordinary shares of 10p each	1,151	1,151
600 Deferred shares of 10p each	60	60
500 Preference shares of 10p each	50	50
	1,261	1,261

The aggregate number of votes attaching to the preference shares shall be equal to 25% of the aggregate nominal value of the issued shares of the company of all classes irrespective of the number of preference shares then in issue. In the event of the winding-up of the company and a distribution being made to shareholders, the first £25,000 of such distribution shall be paid to the holders for the time being of preference shares, irrespective of the number of preference shares then in issue. There are no dividends payable associated with these shares.

6 Reserves

	Share Premium account	Profit and Loss account	Total
	£000	£000	£000
Balance at 1 January 2002	45	(24)	21
Profit for the year			
Balance at 31 December 2002	45	(24)	21

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

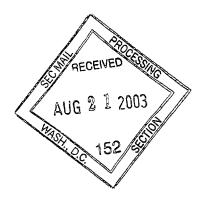
7 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds

	31 Dec 2002	31 Dec 2001
	£000	£000
Opening shareholders' funds	22	22
Closing shareholders' funds	22	22
Equity	22	22
Non-equity	<u> </u>	
	22	22
	22	22

8 Ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate parent undertaking is Taylor Nelson Sofres UK Limited (formerly Taylor Nelson Sofres Group Limited). The ultimate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party is Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, which is registered in England and Wales.

Copies of the ultimate parent undertaking's financial statements are available from the Company Secretary, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, Westgate, London W5 1UA.



Report and accounts

for the year ended 31 December 2002

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Report and accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2002

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Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002.

Principal activities, business review and future developments

The company acts as an investment holding company. Both the level of business and the year-end financial position were satisfactory and the directors expect that the present level of activity will be sustained.

Results and dividends

The company's profit after tax for the financial year is £2,279,646 (2001: £1,070,677). The directors paid a dividend of £2,279,646 (2001: £nil). The retained profit of £nil (2001: £1,070,677) has been transferred to reserves.

Directors and their interests

The directors of the company during the year to 31 December 2002 were as follows:

Mr EF Hoefling Mr D Parry Mr PSK Wright

Mr PSK Wright resigned as company secretary on 26 June 2002 and Mr IJ Portal was appointed.

Mr EF Hoefling holds 500 (2001: 500) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr PSK Wright holds 5,206 (2001: 5,206) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr D Parry had no interests in the shares of the company or any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

During the year, Mr EF Hoefling and Mr PSK Wright were granted options to subscribe for 25,000 shares and 40,000 shares respectively in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

Directors' Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period. The directors are required to prepare the financial statement on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The directors confirm that suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently. They also confirm that reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made in preparing the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002 and that applicable accounting standards have been followed.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Auditors

Following the conversion of the company's auditors PricewaterhouseCoopers to a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) from 1 January 2003, PricewaterhouseCoopers resigned on 4 February 2003 and the directors appointed its successor, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, as the company's auditors. A resolution to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors to the company will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

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IJ Portal

Company Secretary

Westgate, London W5 1UA

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Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Alpha) Limited

For the year ended 31 December 2002

We have audited the financial statements, which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes on pages 6 to 12.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities on page 3.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom auditing standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions is not disclosed.

We read the other information contained in the Annual Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements or material inconsistencies with the financial statements.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Alpha) Limited (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 December 2002 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

London

1 August 2003

Profit and loss account

For the year ended 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Operating profit – continuing operations	2	-	-
Income from fixed asset investments	4 _	2,279,646	1,070,677
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		2,279,646	1,070,677
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5 _		
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		2,279,646	1,070,677
Dividends on equity shares paid	6	(2,279,646)	<u>-</u>
Retained profit for the financial year	_	•	1,070,677

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than those included in the profit and loss account above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

There is no difference between the retained profit for the year stated above and the historical cost equivalent.

Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Fixed assets			
Investments	7	54,640,047	54,640,047
Current assets			
Debtors	8	1,070,677	1,070,677
Net assets		55,710,724	55,710,724
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	9	200	200
Share premium	10	54,639,847	54,639,847
Profit and loss account	10	1,070,677	1,070,677
Equity shareholders' funds	11	55,710,724	55,710,724

The financial statements on pages 6 to 12 were approved by the board of directors on 1 August 2003 and were signed on its behalf by:

EF Hoefler

Director

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

1 Principal accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, is set out below.

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are converted at rates of exchange prevailing at the date the transactions were made. Foreign exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account.

Cash flow statement and related party disclosures

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996).

The company is also exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 from disclosing related party transactions with entities that are part of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group or investees of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

2 Operating profit

The auditors' remuneration in respect of the periods ended 31 December 2002 and 31 December 2001 has been borne by TNS UK Limited (formerly Taylor Nelson Sofres Group Limited), a directly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

3 Directors' remuneration

The company has no employees except for its directors, who received no remuneration for their services.

4 Income from fixed asset investments

	2002	2001
	£	£
Income from shares in group undertaking	2,279,646	1,070,677

5 Taxation

The current tax charge for the period is £nil (2001: £nil).

Current tax reconciliation

Profit on ordinary activities before tax	2002 £ 2,279,646	2001 £ 1,070,677
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate in the UK 30% (2001: 30%)	683,894	321,203
Effects of:		
Income not taxable to corporation tax	(683,894)	(321,203)
Current tax charge for the period	-	-

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

6 Dividends Payable

	2002	2001
	£	£
Final dividend paid	2,279,646	<u>-</u>

7 Investments

Interests in Group undertakings

£

Cost and net book value

At 1 January and 31 December 2002

54,640,047

Investments represent 4,679,413 (2001:100) ordinary shares in Taylor Nelson Sofres International Limited. The total issued share capital of this group undertaking at 31 December 2002 was 24,215,301 (2001: 16,564,300) ordinary shares, all of which is held by Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and wholly owned subsidiaries of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

The company is exempt from the obligation to prepare and deliver consolidated financial statements under section 228 of the Companies Act 1985.

8 Debtors

	2002	2001
	£	£
Amounts owed by group undertaking	1,070,677	1,070,677

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

9 Called up share capital

		2002	2001
		£	£
	Authorised		
	10,000 ordinary share of £1 each	10,000	10,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	200 ordinary shares of £1 each	200	200
10	Reserves		
		Share premium	Profit and loss account
		£	£
	At 1 January 2002	54,639,847	1,070,677
	Retained profit for the financial year	-	-
	Balance at 31 December 2002	54,639,847	1,070,677

11 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds

	2002	2001
	£	£
Profit for the year	2,279,646	1,070,677
Dividends	(2,279,646)	-
Opening shareholders' funds	55,710,724	54,640,047
Closing shareholders' funds	55,710,724	55,710,724

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

12 Ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate parent undertaking is TNS Overseas Holdings (Epsilon) Limited.

The ultimate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party is Taylor Nelson Sofres plc which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the ultimate parent undertaking's financial statements are available from the Company Secretary, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, Westgate, London W5 1UA.



TNS Overseas Holdings (Beta) Limited Report and accounts for the year ended 31 December 2002

Reg No 3965472

Report and accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2002

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Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report with the audited financial statements for the period ended 31 December 2002.

Principal activities, business review and future developments

The company acts as an investment holding company. Both the level of business and the year-end financial position were satisfactory and the directors expect that the present level of activity will be sustained.

Results and dividends

The company's profit after tax for the financial year is £767,757 (2001: £359,768). The directors paid a dividend of £767,757(2000: £nil). The retained profit of £nil (2001: £359,768) has been transferred to reserves.

Directors and their interests

The directors of the company during the year to 31 December 2002 were as follows:

Mr EF Hoefling Mr D Parry Mr PSK Wright

Mr PSK Wright resigned as company secretary on 26 June 2002 and Mr IJ Portal was appointed.

Mr EF Hoefling holds 500 (2001: 500) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr PSK Wright holds 5,206 (2001: 5,206) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr D Parry had no interests in the shares of the company or any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

During the year, Mr EF Hoefling and Mr PSK Wright were granted options to subscribe for 25,000 shares and 40,000 shares respectively in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

Directors' Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period. The directors are required to prepare the financial statement on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The directors confirm that suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently. They also confirm that reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made in preparing the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002 and that applicable accounting standards have been followed.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Auditors

Following the conversion of the company's auditors PricewaterhouseCoopers to a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) from 1 January 2003, PricewaterhouseCoopers resigned on 4 February 2003 and the directors appointed its successor, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, as the company's auditors. A resolution to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors to the company will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

order of the board

IJ Portal

Company Secretary

Westgate, London W5 1UA

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Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Beta) Limited

For the year ended 31 December 2002

We have audited the financial statements, which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes on pages 6 to 12.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities on page 3.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom auditing standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions is not disclosed.

We read the other information contained in the Annual Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements or material inconsistencies with the financial statements.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Beta) Limited (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 December 2002 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

London

1 August 2003

Profit and loss account

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Notes	2002	2001
	£	£
2	-	-
4 _	767,757	359,768
	767,757	359,768
5 _	-	-
	767,757	359,768
6 _	(767,757)	-
	-	359,768
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The company has no recognised gains and losses other than those included in the profit and loss account above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

There is no difference between the retained profit for the year stated above and the historical cost equivalent.

Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Fixed assets			
Investments	7	18,218,618	18,218,618
Current assets			
Debtors	8	359,768	359,768
Net assets		18,578,386	18,578,386
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	9	200	200
Share premium	10	18,218,418	18,218,418
Profit and loss account	10	359,768	359,768
Equity shareholders' funds	11	18,578,386	18,578,386

The financial statements on pages 6 to 12 were approved by the board of directors on 1 key st 2003 and were signed on its behalf by:

EF Hoeff Director

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

1 Principal accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, is set out below.

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are converted at rates of exchange prevailing at the date the transactions were made. Foreign exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account.

Cash flow statement and related party disclosures

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996).

The company is also exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 from disclosing related party transactions with entities that are part of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group or investees of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

2 Operating profit

The auditors' remuneration in respect of the periods ended 31 December 2002 and 31 December 2001 has been borne by TNS UK Limited (formerly Taylor Nelson Sofres Group Limited), a directly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

3 Directors' remuneration

The company has no employees except for its directors, who received no remuneration for their services.

4 Income from fixed asset investments

	2002	2001
	£	£
Income from shares in group undertaking	767,757	359,768

5 Taxation

The current tax charge for the period is £nil (2001: £nil).

Current tax reconciliation

	2002	2001
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	767,757	359,768
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate in the UK 30% (2001: 30%)	230,327	107,930
Effects of:		
Income not taxable to corporation tax	(230,327)	(107,930)
Current tax charge for the period	<u> </u>	-

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

6 Dividends

	2002	2001
	£	£
Final dividend paid	767,757	

7 Investments

Interests in Group undertakings

£

Cost and net book value

At 1 January and 31 December 2002

18,218,618

Investments represent 1,571,475 (2001:100) ordinary shares in Taylor Nelson Sofres International Limited. The total issued share capital of this group undertaking at 31 December 2002 was 24,215,301 (2001: 16,564,300) ordinary shares, all of which is held by Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and wholly owned subsidiaries of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

The company is exempt from the obligation to prepare and deliver consolidated financial statements under section 228 of the Companies Act 1985.

8 Debtors

	2002	2001
	£	£
Amounts owed by group undertaking	359,768	359,768

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

9 Called up share capital

	2002	2001
	£	£
Authorised		
10,000 ordinary share of £1 each	10,000	10,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
200 ordinary shares of £1 each	200	200

10 Reserves

	Share premium	Profit and loss account
	£	£
At 1 January 2002	18,218,418	359,768
Retained profit for the financial year		-
Balance at 31 December 2002	18,218,418	359,768

11 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds

	2002	2001
	£	£
Profit for the year	767,757	359,768
Dividends	(767,757)	-
Opening shareholders' funds	18,578,386	18,218,618
Closing shareholders' funds	18,578,386	18,578,386

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

12 Ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate parent undertaking is TNS Overseas Holdings (Epsilon) Limited.

The ultimate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party is Taylor Nelson Sofres plc which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the ultimate parent undertaking's financial statements are available from the Company Secretary, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, Westgate, London W5 1UA.



TNS Overseas Holdings (Delta) Limited Report and accounts

for the year ended 31 December 2002

Reg No 3968944

Report and accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2002

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Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report with the financial statements for the period ended 31 December 2002.

Principal activities, business review and future developments

The company was dormant throughout the year.

Results and dividends

The company did not trade during the year ended 31 December 2002. Accordingly the profit on ordinary activities before taxation is nil (2001: £nil) and no profit and loss account is presented with these financial statements. The directors do not recommend payment of a dividend (2001: £nil).

Directors and their interests

The directors of the company during the year to 31 December 2002 were as follows:

Mr EF Hoefling Mr D Parry Mr PSK Wright

Mr PSK Wright resigned as company secretary on 26 June 2002 and Mr IJ Portal was appointed.

Mr EF Hoefling holds 500 (2001: 500) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr PSK Wright holds 5,206 (2001: 5,206) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr D Parry had no interests in the shares of the company or any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

During the year, Mr EF Hoefling and Mr PSK Wright were granted options to subscribe for 25,000 shares and 40,000 shares respectively in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

Directors' Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period. The directors are required to prepare the financial statement on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The directors confirm that suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently. They also confirm that reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made in preparing the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002 and that applicable accounting standards have been followed.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Auditors

In accordance with Section 250 of the Companies Act 1985, a special resolution resolving that an auditor should not be re-appointed will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

By order of the board

IJ Portal

Company Secretary

Westgate, London W5 1UA

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Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	_	1	1
Net assets	•	1	1
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	3	1_	1
Equity shareholders' funds	:	1	1

For the year ended 31 December 2002 the company was entitled to exemption under section 249AA (1) of the Companies Act 1985.

No members have required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985.

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for:

- a) Ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Companies Act 1985;
- b) Preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its financial year and of its profit and loss for the financial year in accordance with section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements on pages 4 to 6 were approved by the board of directors on 2003 and were signed on its behalf by:

EF Hoefling
Director

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

1 Principal accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, is set out below.

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are converted at rates of exchange prevailing at the date the transactions were made. Foreign exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account.

Cash flow statement and related party disclosures

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996).

The company is also exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 from disclosing related party transactions with entities that are part of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group or investees of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

2 Directors' remuneration

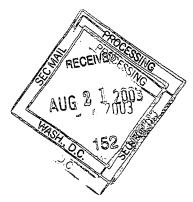
The company has no employees except for its directors, who received no remuneration for their services.

3 Called up share capital

	2002	2001
	£	£
Authorised		
10,000 ordinary share of £1 each	10,000	10,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
1 ordinary share of £1 each	1	1

4 Ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate and ultimate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party is Taylor Nelson Sofres plc which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the ultimate parent undertaking's financial statements are available from the Company Secretary, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, Westgate, London W5 1UA.



Report and accounts

for the year ended 31 December 2002

Reg No 3965469

Report and accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2002

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Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report with the audited financial statements for the period ended 31 December 2002.

Principal activities, business review and future developments

The company acts as an investment holding company. Both the level of business and the year end financial position were satisfactory and the directors expect that the present level of activity will be sustained.

Results and dividends

The company's profit after tax for the financial year is £682,721 (2001: £320,426). The directors paid a dividend of £682,721 (2001: £nil). The retained profit of £nil (2001: £320,426) has been transferred to reserves.

Directors and their interests

The directors of the company during the year to 31 December 2002 were as follows:

Mr EF Hoefling Mr D Parry Mr PSK Wright

Mr PSK Wright resigned as company secretary on 26 June 2002 and Mr IJ Portal was appointed.

Mr EF Hoefling holds 500 (2001: 500) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr PSK Wright holds 5,206 (2001: 5,206) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr D Parry had no interests in the shares of the company or any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

During the year, Mr EF Hoefling and Mr PSK Wright were granted options to subscribe for 25,000 shares and 40,000 shares respectively in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

Directors' Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period. The directors are required to prepare the financial statement on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The directors confirm that suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently. They also confirm that reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made in preparing the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002 and that applicable accounting standards have been followed.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Auditors

Following the conversion of the company's auditors PricewaterhouseCoopers to a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) from 1 January 2003, PricewaterhouseCoopers resigned on 4 February 2003 and the directors appointed its successor, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, as the company's auditors. A resolution to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors to the company will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

IJ Portal

Company Secretary

Westgate, London W5 1UA

1 August 2003

Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Gamma) Limited

For the year ended 31 December 2002

We have audited the financial statements, which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes on pages 6 to 12.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities on page 3.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom auditing standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions is not disclosed.

We read the other information contained in the Annual Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements or material inconsistencies with the financial statements.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Gamma) Limited (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 December 2002 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

London

1 August 2003

Profit and loss account

For the year ended 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Operating profit – continuing operations	2	-	-
Income from fixed asset investments	4 _	682,721	320,426
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		682,721	320,426
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5 _		
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		682,721	320,426
Dividends on equity shares paid	6 _	(682,721)	-
Retained profit for the financial year	_	<u>-</u>	320,426

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than those included in the profit and loss account above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

There is no difference between the retained profit for the year stated above and the historical cost equivalent.

Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Fixed assets			
Investments	7	16,356,534	16,356,534
Current assets			
Debtors	8	320,426	320,426
Net assets		16,676,960	16,676,960
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	9	100	100
Share premium	10	16,356,434	16,356,434
Profit and loss account	10	320,426	320,426
Equity shareholders' funds	11	16,676,960	16,676,960

The financial statements on pages 6 to 12 were approved by the board of directors on 1 August 2003 and were signed on its behalf by:

EF Hoefling

Director

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

1 Principal accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, is set out below.

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are converted at rates of exchange prevailing at the date the transactions were made. Foreign exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account.

Cash flow statement and related party disclosures

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996).

The company is also exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 from disclosing related party transactions with entities that are part of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group or investees of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

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For the year ended 31 December 2002

2 Operating profit

The auditors' remuneration in respect of the periods ended 31 December 2002 and 31 December 2001 has been borne by TNS UK Limited (formerly Taylor Nelson Sofres Group Limited), a directly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

3 Directors' remuneration

The company has no employees except for its directors, who received no remuneration for their services.

4 Income from fixed asset investments

	2002	2001
	£	£
Income from shares in group undertaking	682,721	320,426

5 Taxation

The current tax charge for the period is £nil (2001: £nil).

Current tax reconciliation

	2002	2001
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	682,721	320,426
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate in the UK 30% (2001: 30%)	204,816	96,128
Effects of:		
Income not taxable to corporation tax	(204,816)	(96,128)
Current tax charge for the period	_	_

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6 Dividends

	2002	2001
	£	£
Final dividend paid	682,721	_

7 Investments

Interests in group undertakings

£

Cost and net book value

At 1 January and 31 December 2002

16,356,534

Investments represent 1,400,413 (2001:100) ordinary shares in Taylor Nelson Sofres International Limited. The total issued share capital of this group undertaking at 31 December 2002 was 24,215,301 (2001: 16,564,300) ordinary shares, all of which is held by Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and wholly owned subsidiaries of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

The company is exempt from the obligation to prepare and deliver consolidated financial statements under section 228 of the Companies Act 1985.

8 Debtors

	2002	2001
	£	£
Amounts owed by group undertaking	320,426	320,426

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Notes to the financial statements

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9 Called up share capital

up share capital		
	2002	2001
	£	£
rised		
ordinary shares of £1 each	10,000	10,000
d, called up and fully paid		
dinary shares of £1 each	100	100
ves	Share premium	Profit and loss account
	£	£
anuary 2002	16,356,434	320,426
ed profit for the financial year		
ce at 31 December 2002	16,356,434	320,426
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nciliation of movements in shareholders' funds		
	ordinary shares of £1 each ed, called up and fully paid edinary shares of £1 each eves anuary 2002 ed profit for the financial year ce at 31 December 2002	2002 £ rised O ordinary shares of £1 each od, called up and fully paid dinary shares of £1 each 100 rves Share premium £ anuary 2002 16,356,434 ed profit for the financial year ce at 31 December 2002 16,356,434

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	2002	2001
	£	£
Profit for the year	682,721	320,426
Dividends	(682,721)	-
Opening shareholders' funds	16,676,960	16,356,534
Closing shareholders' funds	16,676,960	16,676,960

TNS Overseas Holdings (Gamma) Limited

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

12 Ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate and ultimate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party is Taylor Nelson Sofres plc which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the ultimate parent undertaking's financial statements are available from the Company Secretary, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, Westgate, London W5 1UA.



Report and accounts

for the year ended 31 December 2002

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Report and accounts

For the year ended 31 December 2002

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Directors' Report

For the year ended 31 December 2002

The directors present their report with the audited financial statements for the period ended 31 December 2002.

Principal activities, business review and future developments

The company acts as an investment holding company. Both the level of business and the year-end financial position were satisfactory and the directors expect that the present level of activity will be sustained.

Results and dividends

The company's profit after tax for the financial year is £3,047,403 (2001: £nil). The directors paid a dividend of £3,047,403(2001: £nil). The retained profit of £nil (2001: £nil) has been transferred to reserves.

Directors and their interests

The directors of the company during the year to 31 December 2002 were as follows:

Mr EF Hoefling Mr D Parry Mr PSK Wright

Mr PSK Wright resigned as company secretary on 26 June 2002 and Mr IJ Portal was appointed.

Mr EF Hoefling holds 500 (2001: 500) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr PSK Wright holds 5,206 (2001: 5,206) ordinary shares of 5p each in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and had no interest in the shares of any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

Mr D Parry had no interests in the shares of the company or any other company within the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

During the year, Mr EF Hoefling and Mr PSK Wright were granted options to subscribe for 25,000 shares and 40,000 shares respectively in Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

Directors' Report (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Directors' responsibilities

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period. The directors are required to prepare the financial statement on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The directors confirm that suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently. They also confirm that reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made in preparing the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2002 and that applicable accounting standards have been followed.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Auditors

Following the conversion of the company's auditors PricewaterhouseCoopers to a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) from 1 January 2003, PricewaterhouseCoopers resigned on 4 February 2003 and the directors appointed its successor, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, as the company's auditors. A resolution to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors to the company will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

By order of the board

IJ Portal

Company Secretary

Westgate, London W5 1UA

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Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Epsilon) Limited

For the year ended 31 December 2002

We have audited the financial statements, which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes on pages 6 to 12.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities on page 3.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and United Kingdom auditing standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions is not disclosed.

We read the other information contained in the Annual Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements or material inconsistencies with the financial statements.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Independent Auditors' report to the members of TNS Overseas Holdings (Epsilon) Limited (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2002

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 31 December 2002 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

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PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

London

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Profit and loss account

For the year ended 31 December 2002

	Notes	2002	2001
		£	£
Operating profit – continuing operations	2	-	-
Income from fixed asset investments	4 _	3,047,403	
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		3,047,403	-
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5		
Profit on ordinary activities after taxation		3,047,403	-
Dividends on equity shares paid	6	(3,047,403)	
Retained profit for the financial year	=	•	-

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than those included in the profit and loss account above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

There is no difference between the retained profit for the year stated above and the historical cost equivalent.

Balance Sheet

As at 31 December 2002

Notes	2002	2001
	£	£
7	72,858,663	72,858,663
	1	1
,	72,858,664	72,858,664
8	201	201
9	72,858,463	72,858,463
_	-	
10	72,858,664	72,858,664
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The financial statements on pages 6 to 12 were approved by the board of directors on 1 August 2003 and were signed on its behalf by:

EF Hoefling

Director

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

1 Principal accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently, is set out below.

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value.

Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are converted at rates of exchange prevailing at the date the transactions were made. Foreign exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account.

Cash flow statement and related party disclosures

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996).

The company is also exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 from disclosing related party transactions with entities that are part of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group or investees of the Taylor Nelson Sofres plc group.

2 Operating profit

The auditors' remuneration in respect of the periods ended 31 December 2002 and 31 December 2001 has been borne by TNS UK Limited (formerly Taylor Nelson Sofres Group Limited), a directly owned subsidiary of Taylor Nelson Sofres plc.

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

3 Directors' remuneration

The company has no employees except for its directors, who received no remuneration for their services.

4 Income from fixed asset investments

Final dividend paid

		2002	2001
		£	£
	Income from shares in group undertakings	3,047,403	
5	Taxation		
	The current tax charge for the period is £nil (200	1: £nil).	
	Current tax reconciliation		
		2002	2001
		£	£
	Profit on ordinary activities before tax	3,047,403	-
	Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate in the UK 30% (2001: 30%)	914,221	-
	Effects of:		
	Income not taxable to corporation tax	(914,221)	<u>-</u>
	Current tax charge for the period	-	-
6	Dividends		
		2002	2001

£

3,047,403

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

7 Investments

Interests in subsidiary undertakings

£

Cost and net book value

At 1 January and 31 December 2002:

72,858,663

Details of the principal investments in which the company holds more than 20% of the nominal value of any class of share capital, all of which is represented by ordinary shares, are as set out below.

Subsidiary undertakings	Country of incorporation	Ownership 2002 and 2001	Principal activity
TNS Overseas Holdings (Alpha) Limited	UK	100%	Holding company
TNS Overseas Holdings (Beta) Limited	UK	100%	Holding company

The company is exempt from the obligation to prepare and deliver consolidated financial statements under section 228 of the Companies Act 1985.

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

8 Called up share capital

		2002	2001
		£	£
	Authorised		
	10,000 ordinary share of £1 each	10,000	10,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	201 ordinary shares of £1 each	201	201
9	Reserves		
		Share premium	Profit and loss account
		£	£
	At 1 January 2002	72,858,463	-
	Retained profit for the financial year	-	
	Balance at 31 December 2002	72,858,463	-
10	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders	' funds	
		2002	2001
		£	£
	Profit for the year	3,047,403	-
	Dividends	(3,047,403)	-
	Opening shareholders' funds	72,858,664	72,858,664
	Closing shareholders' funds	72,858,664	72,858,664

Notes to the financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2002

11 Ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate and ultimate parent undertaking and ultimate controlling party is Taylor Nelson Sofres plc which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the ultimate parent undertaking's financial statements are available from the Company Secretary, Taylor Nelson Sofres plc, Westgate, London W5 1UA.